

THE WEATHER
Probably snow to-
night and Thurs-
day.

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

Metal Quotations
NEW YORK, Jan.
6.—Bar silver, 48%.

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RUMANIA MAY JOIN RUSSIA IN CONFLICT

Great White Bear Successful Against Three of Enemies

NEARLY QUARTER OF MILLION IN VALUES SHIPPED SINCE FIRST OF THE YEAR FROM TONOPAH

A carload of concentrates, the by-product of two weeks' run, was forwarded this morning by the Tonopah Extension company, the weight of which was 15½ tons. Estimated value was \$400 a ton, or \$6,200. In addition the company shipped six and one-half tons of slag, worth \$50 a ton, making the total forwarding \$6,525.

This morning the Tonopah-Belmont Development company shipped 81 bars of bullion, weighing 162,705 troy ounces. It was the cleanup for the second half of December. It is customary for outside estimators to figure this gold and silver bullion, at the present price of silver, at 70 cents an ounce, which would make it \$113,893.50. The company sent out 50 tons of concentrates January 2. The estimated value was \$400 a ton, or \$20,000 for the car. With the addition of the \$35,932.40 worth of bullion sent out Monday by the West End and the \$26,500 worth of bullion shipped by the Tonopah Extension on the same day, together with the weekly cleanup of the Tonopah Mining company of Nevada, which amounted to 22 bars, weighing 2,640 pounds, valued at about \$35,000, the cleanups thus far forwarded since the first of the year amount to \$237,850.90.

NOVEL IMPLEMENTS USED BY FRENCH

DEVICES FOR EXPLODING HAND
GRENADES AND CUTTING
ENTANGLEMENTS

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, Jan. 6.—The French soldiers are using a device something like a cross-bow for throwing hooks with lines attached over barbed wire entanglements and then tearing them loose by drawing on the thin rope. These barbed wire entanglements are constructed intricately and form belts of interlacing wires 20 feet wide and about 2½ feet high. Cutting them by hand is such a difficult process that about the only way they could be destroyed successfully is by hooking them and tearing them free one by one.

The hand grenade devised by the French to throw into the enemy's trenches when they are within reach is about as large as a baseball. A string tied to the wrist of the thrower pulls out a plug from the ball after it has left the hand. A spring is released which sets the fuse for the explosive charge going. This fuse may be regulated from one second to two or three seconds, or intermediate fractions, and thus adjusted to explode when it reaches the hostile trench.

WORST ACCIDENT IN THE HISTORY OF NEW YORK SUBWAY

HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE SENT TO
HOSPITALS AS RESULT
OF PANIC

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The subway was visited today by a fire and panic which sent 200 to the hospitals, caused the death of a woman and demoralized the transportation system. It is said to have been due to an electrical explosion, between the Fifth and Fifty-ninth street stations. Seven hundred passengers on two stalled trains were terrified, many were bruised, knocked unconscious or overcome by smoke. The system may be tied up for several days. First reports were that at least a score were killed. The entire fire department, all the city ambulances and a pulmotor squad were rushed to the scene. Screams for help were heard in the streets. The police say the accident was the worst in the history of the system.

COMMISSIONERS ARE THREATENED WITH THE RECALL

MAKE MANY APPOINTMENTS,
ONE OF WHICH DISPLEASES
THE PEOPLE

After allowing the regular monthly bills yesterday the county commissioners held an evening session and at that meeting and the one this forenoon transacted the following business:

The Miners' drug store was awarded the contract for supplying druggist supplies to the county hospital and jail. Dr. Richards was reappointed county physician and then came the surprise of the session when Mrs. Kate Court was removed from the position of matron of the county hospital, a position which she has held to the satisfaction of everybody for the past seven years. Every grand jury report has praised her efficiency. Her removal caused considerable talk on the streets of demanding the recall of the commissioners. Miss S. M. Bryan was appointed in her stead. The cook was also removed and the position given to Mrs. Nellie Johnson.

T. O'Connell & Son were awarded the contract for supplying the county with groceries. Chief Evans was reappointed to the head of the police department. He states that he will continue his assistants, Officers Peck, Dalzell and Grant. Chief Kelley was reappointed to the fire department. W. S. Stonebeck was employed as special accountant to audit the books of the county officers from July 1 to December 31, 1914. The Wittenberg Warehouse and Transfer company was awarded the contract to supply coal to the courthouse and county hospital and the National Coal company to supply the fire house and police station. The board considered some 20 or 30 applications for the street scavenging contract, but was unable to reach a conclusion. This evening a jury list of 300 or 350 names will be drawn.

CRIME LESSENS SINCE BEGINNING OF WAR

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The diminution of crime in London since the outbreak of war is again testified to by police records giving the total of all offenses for the past quarter. The weekly average is 258, compared with 412 for the same period last year. The most marked decreases are in cases of burglary and housebreaking, which have almost entirely ceased.

SKETCHING BIRTHPLACE

PARIS, Jan. 6.—Francis Tattagrain, the artist, is dead from the effects of a chill contracted at Arras. M. Tattagrain was making sketches of the ruins of the city hall at Arras, his native place, for a large picture. He was born in 1852.

VILLA FAVORS ONE OF HIS GENERALS FOR PRESIDENCY

CARLOADS OF WOUNDED AND
DEAD TAKEN TO COAST
FROM HUEBLA

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Smallpox has broken out at Vera Cruz and the town is in the throes of the epidemic. Carloads of dead and wounded have been taken from the battlefield of Huebla to Vera Cruz. Information from Carranza sources are that the Villa-Zapata troops have been defeated with heavy losses.

(By Associated Press.)
NACO, Jan. 6.—General Angeles, Villa's chief subordinate, is said to be General Villa's choice for provisional president. He was captured when General Obregon drove the Villa-Zapata army out of Huebla, according to a message received by General Hill, Carranza's commander.

BURGLAR TRACED BY A MUTILATED COIN

FOUND STOLEN WATCH IN POS-
SESSION WHEN AR-
RESTED

Elmer Burch is under arrest and will be charged with either burglary or a similar offense, he having been apprehended by the police with stolen property in his possession. Night before last Mrs. Bertha Tanzy returned to her room and found that during a brief absence it had been entered and her gold watch taken, together with a chain appending.

It was due to this chain that the arrest was made. It consisted of three five-dollar gold pieces united by a gold chain. One of these was changed, so Burch said when arrested, and the watch, minus the chain, found in his possession, at the St. Ag bar, and the other two at a Chinese noodle joint. The manner in which the arrest was made, even before the robbery was reported, was through the Chinaman going to Chief Evans to pay his license. He proffered a mutilated \$5 piece. He was able to describe Burch as the person passing it on him, but says that he did not attempt to change the second gold piece. Burch was placed under arrest by Chief Evans' men and meanwhile Mrs. Tanzy gave notice of the burglary.

JESSIE COPE PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO CHARGE

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Miss Jessie Elizabeth Cope, of Los Angeles, accused under the Mann act of Col. Charles Alexander, of Providence, R. I., pleaded not guilty today when arraigned in the federal court charged with attempting to bribe federal officials to aid her in obtaining \$50,000 from Col. Alexander by threatening him with prosecution. January 28 was the date set for the opening of the trial.

DAIRY CO. SUE FOR NINE MILLION DOLLARS

(By Associated Press.)
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 6.—A suit for \$9,000,000 has been filed by the government against the Capital City Dairy company. This is for the amount of taxes alleged to be due the government for selling colored oleomargarine in representation as butter.

MINES REOPEN UNDER "OPEN SHOP" PLAN

(By Associated Press.)
CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 6.—The eastern Ohio coal operators have decided to reopen their mines under the "open shop" plan. The miners who have been on strike since April will be given first opportunity to fill the positions.

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO.

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:	1915	1914
5 a. m.	23	42
9 a. m.	24	41
12 noon	30	41
2 p. m.	31	49

JOHNSON SUGGESTS LEGISLATION TO CALIFORNIA SOLONS

MESSAGE OF CALIFORNIA'S GOV-
ERNOR TO STATE LEG-
ISLATURE

(By Associated Press.)
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 6.—Five cardinal issues in new legislation by the present session of the state legislature are urged by the governor in his message to the senate and assembly. The following are his recommendations: Increased rates of taxation on public utility corporations, make the election of state officers non-partisan, create free labor exchanges, establish a system of rural credits, prevent the abuse of the initiative, referendum and recall. The governor's message begins with a discussion of the problem of revenue and taxation, which becomes the most important question before the legislature. In view of the impending deficit caused by the repeal of the poll tax and the abolition of the corporation license tax.

MADE IN AMERICA FORBIDDEN PLACARD

PEOPLE HAVE WRONG IDEA RE-
GARDING WORTH OF FOR-
EIGN WARES

(By Associated Press.)
PITTSBURG, Jan. 6.—A "made in America" exhibit has been canceled by the Art Society of Pittsburgh, its sponsors, because it is asserted that American manufacturers feared to let the country know that the wares were made in the United States. Manufacturers say that the people in general possess the erroneous idea that goods made abroad are superior in quality.

EGYPT MUST HAVE AN INCREASED REVENUE

(By Associated Press.)
CAIRO, Egypt, Jan. 6.—The war has made itself so felt in Egypt that new sources of revenue must be found. Alexandria, for instance, is going to levy heavy taxes against all cafes, cafe-concerts, and moving picture shows. Many cities will renege the old octroi duties—customs duties on goods brought into the city, which were abolished in Cairo and Alexandria in 1903.

EVERGLADE PROMOTERS SENTENCED TO PRISON

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 6.—Dr. E. C. Chambers, convicted for fraudulent use of the mails in connection with the case of Florida Everglades land, was sentenced to two years in prison and a fine of \$6,000 by Federal Judge Pollock today. E. L. Russell, convicted on the same charge, was sentenced to one year and a day in prison and a fine of \$375. Chambers and Russell appealed to the United States circuit court of appeals and were released on bonds of \$5,000 each.

SMALL SNOWSTORM, WITH INDICATIONS OF MORE

After three days' blow from varying points of the compass, the clouds gathered this morning for the long-heralded storm. Barometric pressure is low and the thermometer indicates continuance of the snowfall, according to the government forecaster.

THE KILLING OF GARIBALDI IS THE CAUSE FOR REAWAKENING OF THE SPIRIT OF CONQUEST IN ITALY

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Jan. 6.—Against two of the three nations she is fighting, Russia apparently has scored heavily. To the victory of last week over the Austrians is added, according to dispatches from Petrograd, a rout of two of the three Turkish columns which invaded the Russian Caucasus. Latest reports from the Russians are that the defeat of the Turks was complete and that one of the Turkish army corps was annihilated. The campaign against Germany, however, is indefinite. The Germans are handicapped by the bad weather in their advance on Warsaw, but Berlin asserts that slow progress is still being made. Friendly relations exist between the Russian soldiers and the frontier guards of Roumania, which adjoins Bukovina, and it is believed in Petrograd that Roumania is likely to enter the war with Russia.

(By Associated Press.)
PETROGRAD, Jan. 6.—A Russian victory is reported from Sari Kamysh and Sansaus and the recapture of Ardahan, at a junction of mountain roads, from the Turkish invaders. The battle at Sari Kamysh resulted in heavy losses to both sides. The indications are that Russia is preparing to strike heavily at Hungary. With Bukovina occupied, the time seems to be ripe for an invasion of Transylvania, an eastern province of Hungary bordering on Roumania. Three million people in this territory are Roumanians. It is believed that they will seize this opportunity to throw off the Austrian rule. The reservists have been notified to hold themselves in readiness.

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, Jan. 6.—A German trench nearly half a mile in length in the Argonne region was blown up by the allies. The French made an infantry attack and captured half the trench. During the charge a grandson of the Italian patriot, Garibaldi, was killed. The recent death in action of another grandson is said in Rome to have reawakened the war spirit in Italy. The French advance in upper Alsace has been checked and one position has been lost by the Germans.

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, Jan. 6.—The French, in bombarding towns near the German lines, seem indifferent to killing their own countrymen and the destruction of French homes. The Germans have captured several trenches at Argonne and have taken another position from the French near Sonheim. Minor successes are reported in Poland, including the taking of 1,400 prisoners.

SEEDING SOIL THAT ARMIES HAVE TROD

WOMEN OF FRANCE WORK IN
FIELDS IN WAKE OF
BATTLE

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, Jan. 6.—The sugar-beet fields retaken by the French have not only been ravaged by shells, lacerated by trench diggers and furrowed by the wheels of gun carriages, but have been so trampled by infantry and cavalry that the extraction of the roots became a difficult problem, not yet entirely solved. It is the modest heroine of the war, the French peasant woman, who is working on it in the unoccupied regions close to the battle front where she can not only hear it but see the smoke of it.

In all this region the plow followed closely upon the conflict and seeding necessarily followed so hard upon the plow that some apprehension was felt as to the summary preparation of the soil; there was no time for harrowing but the seed caught and the new crop showed its head even while the pointed helmets across the line were taking in the last of the belated harvest. Statisticians say the seeding is little inferior in acreage to that of 1913.

THIRTEEN FALL AS CABLE'S PART

ELEVATOR DROPS FROM FOURTH
FLOOR OF SAN FRANCISCO
BUILDING

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 6.—One person was killed and 12 were injured when a crowded elevator descending in the Pacific building parted its cables on the fourth floor and dropped. Several others may die.

SUEZ CANAL DEFENDED BY INDIAN TROOPS

(By Associated Press.)
PORT SAID, Egypt, Jan. 6.—The mainstay of the defense of the Suez canal is a large body of Indian troops. A volunteer defense corps is also being raised, including English and Maltese, who will act as special constables. Many of the boats belonging to shipping firms or private individuals have been commandeered by the authorities for use in connection with plans for the defense of the canal.

NEW OFFICERS CHOSEN BY TONOPAH SOCIALISTS

At a meeting of the Socialists of Tonopah last evening the following officers were elected: L. L. Schade, recording secretary; Judge Dunneath, financial secretary; Albert Trezise, organizer; A. C. Richie, treasurer. The meeting night has been changed from Wednesday to Thursday, at the justice court.

First Eugenic Babe Is Born

Martin McEathron, of Tonopah, is the proud uncle of the first eugenic baby. Its name is Eugenic Eugene McEathron and was sired by a brother of the proud Tonopah uncle. The father and mother were married on January 1, 1914, the day that the law compelling eugenics in matrimony went into effect in the state of Wisconsin, and the proud possessor of the title came into being on December 8, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McEathron, of DePere. If the doctors, who are making daily and almost hourly examinations of the youngster in the interest of science, do not interfere with the processes of nature, the lad promises to become a splendid specimen of humanity.